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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1–20. (Cancelled)

21. (Currently amended) A customizable application system comprising:
an application execution system configured to support an internet application;
a user interface generator operable to generate an application user interface
including a user interface element, the application user interface being configured as an interface
between the internet application and a client and being configured for delivery to the client over
a computer network, the user interface element including a find command that is user
customizable with respect to a scope of data to be searched, the scope of data to be searched
customizable to include one of all results of a previously-executed query, a subset of the results
of the previously-executed query, and only the results of the previously-executed query that are
displayed in the application user interface;
metadata characterizing the find command; and
a data repository including a data record further characterizing the find command,
the data record being user modifiable in response to receiving input from a user defining a
property for the user customizable find command and being accessible using the metadata, the
property specifying the scope of the data to search,
wherein the application user interface is automatically generated in response to a
request from the client and configured with the property for the find command,
wherein the user interface is operable to display an amount of data in response to
the previously-executed query, and
wherein the find command is operable to execute a search within the scope of data
with respect to the results of the previously-executed query.

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Claims 22-23. (Canceled)

24. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, wherein the application user interface is configured for display at the client using standard web browser protocols.

25. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, further including a personalization system configured to modify the data record.

26. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, wherein the application user interface is configured for display at the client using features of a web browser, the features not requiring a browser add-on, plug-in, or extension.

27. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, wherein the find command is configurable according to an identity of the client or to an identity of a user.

28. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, further including means for generating the application user interface using the metadata.

29. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, further including an application server configured to support the internet application.

30. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, further including another application user interface having the find command, wherein the data record is configured to characterize the find command in both the application user interface and the other application user interface.

31. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, wherein a customizable state of the find command persists from one use of the application user interface to another use of the application user interface.

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32. (Previously Presented) The customizable application system of claim 21, wherein the client is a wireless system.

33. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium including an internet application, the internet application comprising:

metadata defining an application user interface, the application user interface including a user interface element with a user customizable find command, the application user interface configured for delivery to a client and configured to operate as an interface between a user and the internet application, the user customizable find command being customizable with respect to a scope of a search, the scope of the search being customizable to include one of all results of a previously-executed query, a subset of the results of the previously-executed query, and only the results of the previously-executed query that are displayed in the application user interface;

a user interface generator configured to generate the application user interface in response to a request from the user using a user modifiable data record stored in a location physically remote from the client, the user modifiable data record configurable to characterize the user customizable find command; and

a configuration system configured receive input from a user to modify the user modifiable data record with a property for the find command, the property specifying the scope of the search,

wherein the application user interface is automatically generated and configured with the property for the find command,

wherein the user interface is operable to display an amount of data in response to the previously-executed query, and

wherein the find command is operable to execute a search within the scope of search with respect to the results of the previously-executed query.

34. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium including an internet application, the internet application comprising:

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an application designer configured to develop an application user interface, the application user interface including a user interface element with a user customizable find command, the application user interface configured for delivery to a client and configured to operate as an interface between a user and the internet application, the user customizable find command being customizable with respect to a scope of a search, the scope of the search being customizable to include one of all results of a previously-executed query, a subset of the results of the previously-executed query, and only the results of the previously-executed query that are displayed in the application user interface;

a user interface generator configured to generate the application user interface in response to a request from the user using a user modifiable data record stored in a location physically remote from the client, the user modifiable data record configurable to characterize the user customizable find command; and

a configuration system configured to receive a user input to modify the user modifiable data record with a property for the find command, the property specifying the scope of the search,

wherein the application user interface is automatically generated and configured with the property for the find command,

wherein the user interface is operable to display an amount of data in response to the previously-executed query, and

wherein the find command is operable to execute a search within the scope of search with respect to the results of the previously-executed query.

35-47. (Canceled)

48. (Currently Amended) An application execution system comprising:
means for supporting an internet application;
means for generating an application user interface using a user modifiable data record configured to store data characterizing a user customizable find command search in response to receiving input from a user defining a property for the user customizable find

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command, wherein the application user interface is automatically generated and configured with the property for the find command, the user customizable interface comprising the find command being customizable with respect to a scope of a search, the scope of the search based on the property received and customizable to include one of all results of a previously-executed query, a subset of the results of the previously-executed query, and only the results of the previously-executed query that are displayed in the application user interface; and

means for providing the application user interface to a user, the application user interface including a user interface element, the application user interface configured as an interface between the internet application and the user, the user interface element including the user customizable find command, the user interface element configured for delivery to a client over a computer network,

wherein the application user interface is operable to display an amount of data in response to the previously-executed query, and

wherein the find command is operable to execute a search within the scope of search with respect to the results of the previously-executed query.